

March

Mar 11 - Saturdays with Jesus (Adults)
 March 18 and 25 Pysanky Classes from 9 to 12
 Mar 25 - Saturdays with Jesus (Children)

April

Apr 2 - Paska and Roll Sale
 Apr 6 - Holy Thursday Dinner
 Apr 16 or 23 Easter Dinner (TBD)

Know Your Church . . . Laity Formation

First Sunday of the Great Fast

On this Sunday, Eastern churches commemorate the Triumph of Orthodoxy (Orthodoxy meaning True Faith), the moment in history in the year 843 when the liturgical use of icons was restored. The use of icons in churches had been erroneously banned for several years at that time. The leaders of the early church held fast to established Truths of faith against those who sought to undermine the theological dogmas of the church. The iconoclasts did not see the relationship of mystery in Christ’s own Incarnation. It is the mystery of the Incarnation, of God taking human nature in Christ Jesus — one of the core beliefs that defines Christianity — Christ Himself in this act of humility becomes the Icon of our living God. In misunderstanding how sacred art is part of the mystery of Christ’s Incarnation, the iconoclasts became set on destroying icons. However in the end, it was Truth that prevailed. The lesson is that Truth always triumphs when believers persevere, even when there are formidable challenges and when others are determined to undermine and deny Truth. No matter how much it may appear that enemies to Truth are succeeding, faithful Catholics and Christians know that ultimately it is God who is powerful over all.





Our Weekly Bulletin

Welcome to our Parish

Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory forever!
 Christ is among us! He is and always will be!

Divine Liturgies and Services for the Week

Week of Feb 26 to Mar 5, 2023

Sunday, Feb 26	First Sunday of the Great Fast Sunday of Orthodoxy	Margaret Reighard
Feb 27	No Liturgy	
Feb 28	No Liturgy	
Mar 1	No Liturgy	
Mar 2	No Liturgy	
Mar 3	Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts 5:00PM	
Mar 4	No Liturgy	
Sunday, Mar 5	Second Sunday of the Great Fast Sunday of St. Gregory Palamas	✠ Michael and Mary Kokus

If you are looking for a closer relationship with Jesus Christ and are looking for a home, you are welcome to be part of our kid friendly family in Christ. You have found your way home.

Protection of the B.V.M.
 Ukrainian Catholic Church
 560 Cambria Avenue
 PO Box 194
 Revloc, PA 15948-0194

Rev. Fr Andriy Kelt, Pastor
 Fr. Deacon Christopher Bellock
 Fr. Deacon Anthony Dragani, PhD.

Anyone wishing to be a member of the parish, contact Fr. Andriy

Immaculate Conception -
 St. Mary's
 Ukrainian Catholic Church
 3711 Campbell Avenue
 Northern Cambria, PA 15714

First Sunday of the Great Fast - Sunday of Orthodoxy

Hebrews 11:24-26,32-40;12:1-2

John 1:43-51

Troparion of the Resurrection (Tone 4)

When the disciples of the Lord learned from the angel the glorious news of the resurrection and cast off the ancestral condemnation, they proudly told the apostles: "Death has been plundered! Christ our God is risen, granting to the world great mercy."

Troparion of Lent (Tone 2)

We bow before Your most pure image, O kind Lord, and beg pardon for our sins, O Christ our God. Of Your own will You consented to ascend the Cross in the flesh to free Your handiwork from enslavement to the enemy. In thanksgiving we cry aloud to You: by coming to save the world, our Savior, You filled all things with joy.

Kondakion of Lent (Tone 8)

Glory be... The uncircumscribed Word of the Father became circumscribed when He took flesh of You, O Mother of God; and when He restored the divine image to its ancient glory, He suffered it with the beauty of God. Therefore, confessing our salvation in deed and word, we portray it in images.

Prokeimen of Lent (Tone 4)

Blessed are You, Lord God of our fathers, and praised and glorified is Your name forever.

verse: For You are righteous in everything You have done to us.

Blessed are You, Lord God of our fathers, and praised and glorified is Your name forever.

Alleluia

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Verse Moses and Aaron are among His priests
and Samuel among those who call upon His name.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Verse They call on the Lord, and He heard them.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

*Turn to page 274 to page 295 for St Basil's Liturgy in the blue book.
After the Hymn to the Mother of God, turn to page 153 in the blue book.*

Communion Verse

Praise the Lord from the heaven; praise Him in the highest.

Rejoice in the Lord, O you just; praise befits the righteous, Alleluia. (3)



PARISH NEWS

Weekly Collection - February 19, 2022 - \$172.00. Thank you for your generosity.

Relief for Ukraine - Amount collected to date \$5,483.00.

Saturdays with Jesus - March 11: 10AM Adults March 25: 1PM Children

Relief for Ukraine - Financial help to Ukraine can be done by writing a check to:

Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of St. Josaphat and on the memo line: Aid for Ukraine.

Church Envelopes - The 2023 envelopes are on back order. Please use an envelope from home for your donation or one provided near the collection basket.

They will be distributed when they arrive.

Pysanky Class - The 2023 Pysanky class will be on March 18 & 25 from 9 to 12.

Please register for the class by calling 814.472.9396 or telling Deacon Chris or Edna.

Paska Sale - The parish will be selling Paskas and Nut Rolls for Easter.

Please sell to your friends and family. These fundraisers help the parish to have programs for the children and also sustain the upkeep of the parish.

Lenten Mission - Holy Name will be having a mission on March 13 & 14 at 7:00PM.

Fr. Vincent, an exorcist for the Archdiocese of Indianapolis will talk about the spiritual battle we face with the devil.

Condolences to Sarah and Fr. Andriy and family
on the falling asleep of her grandmother, Joan.
May her memory be eternal. Вічна пам'ять

Prayer List

Parishioners: Connie Butkus, Kathy Ott, Sarah Kelt, Gary Maurer, the Lutak family, Jeremiah Hunt, Margaret Reighard.

Friends of the Parish: Jennifer Maurer, Breanna Borlie, Tom and Kris, Richard Shonk, Ryder McDermitt, Steve Helsel, Patricia Dragani, Eugene, Kevin Rogers, Darla Tishok, the Williams family, Patty Hunt, Kevin Blem, Linda Kusmierski.

To add or remove a name, place your request in the collection basket.

Joke of the Day

While volunteering in a soup kitchen, I hit it off with a very attractive single man. It was a relief, since my mother and I always laughed because the men to whom I was drawn were inevitably married. So, optimistic about my chances, I asked my new friend what he did for a living. He replied, "I'm a priest."